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# "The Ottawa Spotlight"

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(By M. McLaughlin)

Ottawa, September 12th.—The Canadian people are now being given by the Dominion government the opportunity of helping to provide sinews for Canada's war effort by investing in the Second War Loan. The finance minister has asked for 200 million dollars. The government bonds are at 98 1/2 per cent. The bonds are sold at 98 1/2 per cent. During the past few months we have explained to our fellow countrymen the reasons why the federal treasury is asking for the money. Wars are always expensive but modern wars are particularly so. The ruthlessly effective mechanical equipment of the country which has brought such havoc in Europe has to be combated by equally or more effective instruments of war on land, sea and air. If our liberty and civilization are to survive. As Mr. Hiley, minister of finance and many of his colleagues as well as promoters of several public meetings and other leaders have explained in public gatherings, this is a call to keep faith with those who are entering the fight for freedom and the ward of the greatest danger that has ever menaced this country.

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## The Death of Hubertha Antonia Akkerman

Mrs Akkerman, wife of C. J. Akkerman of Strathmore, passed away Sunday afternoon, September 11th, at her home in the Hague, Holland, in 1865, Mrs Akkerman came with her husband and family to Canada in 1920 and settled on the farm east of Strathmore where they have since resided.

Mr and Mrs Akkerman were married in Holland in 1921, their family holding a happy gathering at their Strathmore home to celebrate the event in June of this year.

Possessing a generous and kindly disposition, Mrs Akkerman was ever ready to lend a helping hand. She was a faithful member of Sacred Heart Church.

## Canadian Red Cross Society

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements for Month ending August 1940

Cash balance at start of month \$4.00  
Current Receipts 18.65  
Deduct Outgo Cheques 2.20  
Total Cash on Hand, in Bank 20.45

Regular Contributions—  
Donations 47.25  
Campaign for Funds 12.50  
Laid Social 21.75  
Total Receipts 276.50

Total Disbursements 260.75  
Cash on hand at end 3.25  
Account 99.19  
Product (out) Cheques 2.25  
Total 96.94

Disbursements—  
Merchandise & Supplies 175.19  
War Contributions 21.60  
Advertising 2.25  
Total 200.79

MARY KELLINGER, Sec-Treas.  
FRED HOLMES, Auditor.

Annual Campaign closed out standing as at Aug. 31, 1940: \$65.45  
Unpaid Accounts as at Aug. 31, 1940 NIL

## LIONS CLUB HOLD FIRST MEETING OF SEASON

Rev. S. R. Hunt, Speaker

On Thursday last, the Lions Club of Strathmore held its first meeting of the fall term, with a good turnout for the occasion.

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## Harvest Specials

Men's Fine Blue & Grey Chambray Work Shirts, well cut, Lots of room at ..... \$1.00

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New Lot of "Head-light Shirts, Pants & Overalls, Just in Stock.

• • • • •  
Coveralls in Kahki or Blue Denim. Are you a Stout? We have Coveralls to fit you.

CANVAS GLOVES, 3 Pair for 50c. Extra Heavy Weight Canvas, Strong Knit Wrist at ..... 25c



LEATHER GLOVES at ..... 45c — 65c — 95c

## Thos. E. Wright

Men's Better Wear

### Carseland

Sunday, September 15th, will be Italy Sunday. There will be a special service at the United Church. The Sunday School and Church services will be combined in one service for all. A good attendance is hoped for.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Haynes Tuesday last to celebrate her birthday. After a jolly hour at lunch, the guests presented Mrs. Haynes with a pretty cup and saucer, together with sincere good wishes for many more happy birthday days.

The Ladies Aid will meet next Wednesday September 18th at the home of Mrs. K. Hilliard.

Miss Jean Park motored down from Coaman to spend the week end with her parents.

Monday evening, September 16th there will be a meeting at the Parsonage with all of interest in Sunday School and Young People's Work.

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Hoses are born and garden bloom: My spirit still may light its flame At that same torch where poppies came. Where morning's alter white-birds burn Lilies may lift their silver urns In spite of war, in spite of shame, And in my ear a whispering breath, "Wake from the nightmare!" Lean and see That life is taught but ecstasy In spite of war, in spite of death! "O Spite of War!" by Angela Morgan.

## Under The Street Lamp

P. E. (Pat) O'HOLEY



This is Pat

Editor: "The gentleman says his soup isn't fit for a pig." Chic: "Then take it away, you idiot, and bring him some that is."

Ray Gordon: "Eatin', hey?" Jimmy Craddock: "Nop, it's spaghetti."

"Dearest, will you marry me?" "Victor, I can't marry you; but I shall always respect your good taste."

Lolly: "Shall we go to the movies?" Eileen McParland: "We don't have to. Dad and mother are going."

There lies the rear Of Johnny P. Skunk, Trains go faster Than Johnny P. think.

NOT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR "I had a pleasant evening," she remarked, as he bit her goodnight.

The yard master was interviewing an Irishman who had applied for a job as a truck driver. "Can you drive a car?" asked the yardmaster. "Can OI drive a car?" repeated the Irishman, acronically. "Well, suppose you run the bus into the shed."

Pat climbed on to the trembling vehicle, he looked around, grabbed the biggest lever, and pulled it for all he was worth. Zip! she went into the shed. Pat saw trouble ahead, and what would happen, however, he never. Out she went; then in again, out again; in again. Finally he brought her to a violent stop in the yard just outside. "I thought you said you could drive a truck!" shouted the yardmaster. But Pat had an answer ready. "OI had her in three times already. Why didn't you shut the door?"

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In the Canadian Rockies you see every color of the rainbow in the sky, in the foliage, strata in rocks, in the sun on the snow and ice, in the sky, and reflected from the skies on the mountain lakes that get their start in the melting of the glaciers. These take-like vast pearls on the mountainside when viewed from above via aeroplane, are thousands of feet above sea level, and their surface have a different color from that seen on bodies of water far below them. The color is difficult to describe. Some say cobalt, blue, others the color seen only in some pearls.

Whatever it is, I defy anyone to show me a more beautiful scene than my first view of Lake Louise. The only things I can compare it to, or the effect on me, are "Sullivan's" Last Chord and a composite of all the marvelous sunsets I have ever seen.

The expanse of smooth water in that miraculous color, the stupendous mountains steeping down from their snow-capped tapering heights, one on each side, right and left, their foot hills meeting so evenly at the apex of the seemingly triangular lake, and greatest and most stunning of all, the background — ten miles from the lake but forming the most impressive background, it looms up into the sky 14,000 feet and is formed of terraces of alacial ice, even and broken terraces spreading the full width of the picture from left mountain-side to right mountain-side, and at its top a tremendous cap of snow estimated to be a million of years old, being added constantly, and now fully a mile deep. Can you conceive it?

I gazed at the wondrous living painting in rapture from seven a.m. and saw the colors and shadows changing until the sun disappeared entirely at 10:50 and the soft northern lights still cast a hazy soft light for an hour more.

After a good sleep in the best of the Lake Louise Hotel, I was up at six in an effort to get a seat for breakfast in the dining hall at one of those 12 by 115 foot plate glass windows that command a view of the lake and mountains, that once enjoyed, you carry with you in your mind as long as you live.

One lady at our table said: "This is beautiful beyond all my dreams. I have covered the east and the east coast from Labrador to Florida, but this trip far surpasses any I ever made."

At dinner in this same room the night before, when the orchestra played one of the U. S. national anthems, nearly half of the 200 diners rose to their feet and clapped their hands to show their appreciation.

It is evident that Canadians are not the only ones who get inspiration and entertainment from opportunity offered them by the C. P. R.

The Iceland Poppies in a dozen hues and colors, were at their best and were basked by the hundred thousand on the terraces along from the wide verandas to the fine lawns and gravel walks surrounding the lake. As the water is ice cold at all times of the year, a Grecian marble swimming pool, 120 by 70 ft., immediately at the right of the hotel provides running water at 78 degrees.

Eight black bears in the woods at the rear provide amusement for tourists by accepting food from their hands and playfully cankering where the left over food is thrown out.

Soon after breakfast we left by our special buses for the Columbia Ice

Darrel: "After all, what is the heat with a mother?" Tizzy: "I am, tonight."

WOMEN OF TODAY —  
—Guelph Mercury—

The girl of today, as a type, is the finest woman in history. A couple of generations of "working girls" has developed a young woman who would not have been believed in by a Victorian era lady. She has a voluble and one of her eccentricities. It might be interesting to find out how much stalling salts is sold annually nowadays.

— TRAIN SCHEDULE —

Strathmore—  
Going West No. 1 ..... 8:57 p.m.  
Going East No. 2 ..... 8:02 a.m.  
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Going East No. 3 ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Going West No. 4 ..... 8:52 a.m.

Fields and the Athabasca Glacier. We were said to be the first over this route after the forest fires were subdued, but the trees and foliage are so thick we could see very little of the devastation wrought.

The scenery was much the same as on the route from Banff, but you never tire of it on account of the different shapes the mountains peak, ridges and slopes take as you approach, pass and recede from them. This ride is really 150 miles along the "Ridge" of the Canadian Rockies—over the roof of the N. American continent.

Everyone gazed in awe at Mount Edith Cavell, one of the highest, in the entire range, and no doubt many whispered a prayer for that noble soul for whom it is an everlasting monument, for it was the most solemn hour of the trip with so much discouraging war news coming over the radio at every stop.

At the Columbia Ice Field we stopped for lunch and then the more agile of our party walked out on the Athabasca Glacier, the greatest body of ice south of the Arctic Circle. There was a snow storm the previous night, so we had to be in a hurry to get on top of a snowball right at mid-day July 8th, 1940.

It was not as cold there as you might think—but we were only a few hundred feet from the lowest edge where it was rapidly melting and forming two rivers—one running north and the other west to the Pacific coast. But far above us, probably two thousand feet, the vast field extended and several daring souls were caving on this and sweeping from right to left and then veering to the right, making zigzag tracks down the sloping plains of the new fallen snow. It looked dangerous, but I think probably was only thrilling. But, oh what a thrill — to play like that 12,000 feet above sea level!

But we broke away and continued our way, stopping here and there to gaze down into narrow gorges hundreds of feet deep where the ever rushing glacial streams were wearing away the solid rock, digging their way to the sea. Along one immense sloping sandbank we saw a family of six shaggy mountain goats, playing as freely on the steep side as if on a level plain.

Late in the afternoon we came to another climax of our trip, near Park Lodge—a rustic bungalow town with every comfort of the largest metropolitan hotel—in a setting of unsurpassed beauty on the shores of Lake Beauvert. Majestic mountains rising in every direction. A delightful spot for a stay of any length.

The Lodge itself, built and maintained by the C. N. R., is made up of dozens of rustic cabins (on the outside) but the interiors surprise you, whether you are quartered in a two family bungalow, an eight room apartment, or a house by yourself, for each room or apartment is as well furnished as at the finest hotel in the largest city in Canada.

The main building, where office, stores, dining room, lunch room, and ballroom are located, is another amazing surprise, for the dining room alone seats 400 at a time.

In and around this building is every convenience, amusement, spacious lawn overlooking the lake and swimming pool, Totem poles abound.

There is everything. A paradise for loafers—golf on a grand course—sky line trails for riders and hikers—tennis—beated outdoor swimming pool—tumbling trout streams—motor trips to Mount Edith Cavell and the Glacier of the Angels, Maligne Canyon, Miette Hot Springs—to name just a few of the beauty spots.

The dinner and breakfast here were as superb as any I have enjoyed in the finest hotels of Toronto, New York or Washington. I really wondered how such food reached here from the ends of the North American continent. But refrigerator cars, modern methods of preserving fruits and meats for long periods, are performing miracles, and these meals were enjoyed so far north were among those miracles.

With me personally it was good fortune, and as I saw the top floor of a tall hotel in downtown Philadelphia on July 5th with the mercury for several days hovering between 95 and 100 degrees—yesterday it reached 101 with intense humidity—you may perhaps realize why I selected this particular time to recall to memory these hours less than 3 weeks ago, that I enjoyed the cool breezes of the Canadian Rockies and the exhilarating experience of treading on the Athabasca Glacier.

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### DAILY QUOTATION ●●●

THE LAST, best fruit which comes to late perfection even in the kindest soil, is tenderness towards the hard, forbearance towards the unforbearing, warmth of heart towards the cold, philanthropy towards the misanthropic. — Richter.

END OF FIRST YEAR OF WAR FINDS HITLER MEETING A FOE BENT ON VICTORY  
 BRITISH DETERMINED TO PRESERVE THEIR EMPIRE

GERMAN ARMS destroyed Poland in four weeks, Norway and Denmark almost overnight and brought down Holland and Belgium and the great Republic of France in scarcely more than a month. Finland stubbornly held out against Russia through a winter but the Soviets took the three Baltic States.

The beginning of the second year finds Britain prepared and determined to win against all odds. Armed in all her branches and fighting with her back to the wall as never before the British people of the Homeland and her widespread Dominions have risen as one people to overthrow the tyrant and tyranny Hitler and his Despotism.

Madame Tabouis, interpreter of international politics and policies writes in The Financial Post: After describing in detail Hitler's plan for the conquest and control of Central Europe and the Mediterranean

east, brought Japan and Italy entirely under his sway, the writer says: "The ultimate point of this great and all-inclusive plan would be the conquest of America—'North America' for Germany, 'South America' for Italy."

What does Italy really think of this plan? If Duce already fears the tremendous German expansion in Europe. Will the Fuehrer be forced to carry on his shoulders the whole burden of future hostilities?

The day the German people realize that the British Empire refuses to accept any compromise peace, the day they understand that the United States has now linked its national defense with the protection of the British Empire, on that day the world will witness the most dazzling collapse of an empire which has beaten all records in world history.

Built in a few months, it will probably collapse within a few weeks. Naturally, this depends upon the effort made by Great Britain within the next three months. That time will tell whether difficulties will defeat all German attacks. Hitler will be lost. Fifth Column Falls—

It was Hitler's invariable rule to attack a country only after the Fifth Column within it had been able to create a sufficient number of traitors. For the first time Hitler has had to forego the method which brought him

countries under his domination. When the bombs pour on London there is not one Englishman who does not have faith in British resistance who is not calmly confident that Great Britain will fight it through and carry the war.

Once more in the world the spirit will conquer over force!

### PREMIER BRACKEN

MANITOBA'S PREMIER John Bracken is fast rising to be the strongest Premier of the Western Provinces.

He has been most active in placing before the Dominion Government the urgent need of Western farmers that some equitable advance payment be made on the present wheat crop.

E. W. Brunsden, a member of the committee stated Monday the Ottawa Committee were fully convinced of the need for quick action.

The following from The Albertan in accord with many others. Premier Bracken is now urging the Dominion Government to take action on the Howells-Sirois Commission Report.

He wrote the Prime Minister that he had expected an announcement for a conference before this time. The fact that we are at war is an additional reason, and a very convincing one, that the reconstruction should begin at once.

"When a crisis in our western economy is so obvious," he writes to Mr. King, "and so imminent, we do not think it is part of either courage or wisdom for us to wait until it is actually upon us before starting to work out a policy to meet it. In the working out of such a policy, it is essential that we know if the Dominion government is going to take early steps towards trying out recommendations of the commission."

The statement of the Premier of Manitoba is plain, honest, sane. Now is the time to proceed with the recommendations.

### LOCAL FRUIT ORCHARDS

ONCE UPON A TIME we were told fruit could not be grown or would not come to maturity in this part of our Province, because of our cool nights, early frosts, and variable weather in the early Spring or budding season.

It is well there were some who doubted the veracity of these statements and decided to carry on experiments for their own satisfaction. To-day the C. P. R. Headquarters have tons of fruit of differing varieties. We have on our desk a sample of apples measuring 19 inches in circumference.

Oscar Johnson's orchard also has plum, crabapple and apple trees heavily laden. There are others who have fruit growing trees but we have not succeeded in getting a complete list.

It is well we had those adventurous spirits who were not to be balked by a more pessimistic type.

This year's fruit crop proves the value of their experiments.

May the good work continue and increase in many gardens.

This is a type of development that will enrich Alberta, and make it still more desirable for establishing one's home.

**HARDY PEOPLE — THESE NORSE- MEN**

A PECULIAR THRILL was our response to a news item on the radio the other morning. It seems that four Norwegians had arrived in Halifax harbour after fleeing their country in a small sailboat, crossing the Atlantic and suffering many privations on the way from thirst and hunger.

History is one of many weak points with this writer so we cannot say how long ago it was since this feat was before accomplished—was it Leif Ericson? anyhow several other Norsemen have gone down in history for their trips on the rough Atlantic but the thrill came with the realization that the hardy Viking spirit in these Norwegians is not dead.

They had, the men said, come to the new world to escape Nazi oppression and to begin life anew. Well! There's pioneering for you! The idea that the world has grown up in the small years of this century got a bad knock on the head when the second Great War came along. It is still in swaddling clothes we should suppose. No surprise will be felt when the exigencies of war again elicit the pioneering instincts of mankind.

Seeking new horizons of life these Norsemen like their ancestors set forth bravely and adventurously to a new world.

Who labelled the twentieth century "soft", "a machine age"? As long as there are men like these who have determination not to endure Hitler, we too, can find a way to escape that evil man. —Exchange.

### Ardenode

Mr Frank Brook of Staffordville, Ontario, was a visitor at the home of

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FRUIT BULLETIN— Bartlett Pears about over; Felish Pears now is the time; Prune Plums now; Peaches are nearing the end; Crabapples now.

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### RADIO NOTES ●●●

By John N. Hunt—  
 William Powell, Myrna Loy and Don Ameche Star in Lux Radio Theatre

Open—

Hollywood's top drama team, William Powell and Myrna Loy, with the versatile and able assistance of screen and air star, Don Ameche, will ring up the curtain on the opening of the Lux Radio Theatre's 7th season.

"Manhattan Melodrama", a powerful story of two men and a girl, with plenty of action and heart throbs is the play chosen by Producer Cecil B. DeMille to mark the new run of the full hour dramatic program which is heard at 6 to 7 p.m. MST Mondays.

Replaying their hit roles in the original movie, Powell will appear as Jim Wade, an orphan who works his way up through the district attorney's office to the Governor's mansion, with the aid of Eleanor, played by Miss Loy. Ameche takes the part of Hunkie Gallagher, Jim's boyhood pal and Eleanor's former boy friend, a New York underworld figure while Jim is D.A.

Many complications beset the trium-

Mrs D. S. Brook for a couple of days last week.

Mr and Mrs M. C. Sarsons of Brooks were guests of Mr and Mrs P. E. Sarsons for a few days last week.

Mr and Mrs G. T. Sharrman and daughter Gertrude of Vancouver, B. C. were the guests of Mrs H. Sharrman Sunday last.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Knott who have resided in this district for a number of years have now taken up residence in Strathmore where Mr Knott is employed at the C. P. R. Farm.

virate. The climax of the story is as breath taking as it is warm and human.

No Shortage of Questions in Sight, Uncle Jim of "Question Bee" assures— If anyone thinks the well of questions radio listeners dip into, is on the verge of running dry—be's all wet, according to those who use them. Uncle Jim's office, Uncle Jim, of course, is the handsome chap who conducts his "Question Bee" over Columbia network, Wednesdays. (CPAC 9:30 to 10 p.m. MST).

During the summer, fans have submitted 125,000 questions. Only 40 are used weekly on the programs so at the rate they're coming in, Uncle Jim isn't disturbed by the thought of any sudden shortage. Accountants have figured out that 1500th of all sent in finally are read on the air.

Many of them are interesting, interesting, and we'd love to use them," explains the man who heads the show. "But they really wouldn't be fair to the contenders. Too difficult."

Uncle Jim averages about 88 per cent right in his answers, but every once in a while he slips up. Then there is an avalanche of mail, pointing out the error.

There was the time, for instance, when a contest turned the tables and asked Uncle Jim, "How many cuts must be made in a rope 11 yards long before all pieces would be one foot in length?" Uncle Jim answered 33 and brought out the fact that 33 leading washing machine manufacturers recommend his sponsor's product. Actually the answer should have been 32. Plenty of mathematically-minded citizens protested. Uncle Jim later made a correction on his program.

While every possible source of information is carefully checked before asking questions on the air, Uncle Jim doesn't mind missing every now and then. "Wouldn't it be awful if I never made a mistake?" he asks.



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Cash subscriptions and conversion applications may be made through any approved investment dealer or stock broker or through any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, from whom copies of the official prospectus containing complete details of the issue may be obtained.

The Minister of Finance reserves the right to allot cash subscriptions in full or in part.

The lists for cash subscriptions and conversion applications will open at the Bank of Canada, Ottawa, at 9 a.m., E.D.T., on Monday, September 9, 1940, and may be closed at any time at the discretion of the Minister of Finance, with or without notice.

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## Local News Items

Mrs E. Crenley, formerly of Strath-  
 more is visiting her brothers in Tor-  
 onto, whom she has not seen for a  
 number of years. She expects to re-  
 turn to Vancouver in the late Fall.

Miss Mildred Marcum is expecting  
 Miss. Rather, to arrive for a  
 visit in Strathmore towards the end of  
 the week.

Mr. McMurray left Monday on a busi-  
 ness trip to Vancouver.

Word has been received in Strath-  
 more that Col. McGregor, who former-  
 ly inspected schools in this district  
 suffered a stroke while motoring home  
 from Vancouver recently. Fortunately  
 he was not driving at the time. The  
 attack was not a severe one and the  
 Colonel expects to return to his work  
 in a couple of weeks time.

Mrs. Julian and Billy are now settled  
 in their town house for the winter.

Miss Fergie of the local telephone  
 staff has her sister staying with her,  
 who will attend Strathmore High  
 School.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry spent the  
 week end in Banff where they played  
 a game of golf in the C. P. R. Tourna-  
 ment.

Tommy Odham has severed his  
 position with the Western Department  
 Store to accept a position in a store  
 in Innisfail.

Miss Betty McMurray will leave on  
 Saturday for Montreal where she will  
 continue her course in McGill Univer-  
 sity.

Mrs. J. E. Robinson and Elva have  
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Chosen from "average" typists by  
 a series of elimination contests in a  
 dozen large cities in all parts of either  
 country, each twelve will take con-  
 tinuous turns at a single typewriter,  
 competitively transcribing the lengthy  
 text of a verbatim book. Ident-  
 ity of the copy, a closely guarded sec-  
 ret until completion of the local pre-  
 liminaries, is shortly to be made pub-  
 lic by the Exhibition.

Judged by the figures which won  
 the various eliminations the Canadian Na-  
 tional Typing Team averages 29.9 words  
 per minute as against a corresponding  
 figure of 32.9 words. Marathon prizes  
 are the Canadian National Exhibition  
 Trophy and the "Crawford" Cup for  
 Supremacy in International Typewrit-  
 ing, donated by James H. R. Crom-  
 well, of New Jersey, while United  
 States Minister to Canada.

These statistics were warmly received  
 by those hoping that the Canadians  
 will square this year the deficit of  
 less than two words per minute suf-  
 fered at the Americans hands in 1929  
 when the Americans typed 1,645,098  
 words of Shakespeare's complete  
 works to the Canadians' 1,621,961  
 words during the Marathon's two  
 weeks.

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Mr. Kenneth C. Alexander, Onthal-  
 ogist of Gambier Island, Vancouver,  
 B. C. is a guest for some time of his  
 cousin, Rev. Father Toulou at Sac-  
 red Heart Rectory. Mr. Alexander is  
 also a member of the Academy of  
 Science. He is giving a talk on Birds  
 and Bird Life in the Strathmore  
 Schools today.

Mr. John Forsyth, formerly of the  
 Crown West Motors, Baltimore,  
 Alta. has recently moved to Strath-  
 more where he will be in charge of  
 the Parts and Service Department for  
 Phillips Motors. Mr. Forsyth has had  
 many years experience in auto ser-  
 vice and will be welcomed by the car  
 owners of the community. Mrs. For-  
 syth will be joining her husband here  
 in the near future.

Miss Lois Schulte is leaving Sat-  
 urday with Miss McMurray for Mon-  
 treal. Lois will take a Commercial  
 Course.

Mrs. W. S. Paterson and children  
 visited friends in Banff for a few days  
 during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cool spent the  
 week end in Banff with the C. P. R.  
 Tour.

Mrs. Garrett spent several days in  
 Calgary with her daughter Mrs. E.  
 Giesche.

Verona Gutter and Eugene Gauth-  
 ler are staying over in Strathmore  
 for a visit with Mrs. Wilfred McKen-  
 zie and family. Their way from Vanco-  
 ver to their home in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Tew and children are planning  
 to leave during the month for Yeth-  
 wala, Ont. where Mr. Tew is in camp.

Mrs. Brundage of Three Hills was a  
 week end guest of Mrs. Hirtle.

Miss Constance Boone of Calgary is  
 staying with Mrs. Gilbert Patrick for  
 a few days.

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 "Lux Radio Theatre"  
 Sept. 12—6 p.m.  
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## Church Notes

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA  
 Calgary—Alberta  
 Stanley R. Hunt, R.A., R.D.

Sunday, September 15th, 1940  
 10 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
 11 a.m.—Sunday School.  
 1:30 p.m.—N.A.M.A.K.A.—1:30 p.m.  
 7:30 p.m.—Evensong.

ST. MICHAEL'S & ALL ANGELS'  
 CHURCH—STRATHMORE  
 Incumbent—  
 Rev. Leslie T. H. Pearson, B.A., L.Th.

Sept. 15th—17th Sunday after Trinity  
 8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion  
 3 p.m.—Sunday School  
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 RAISINS—Seedless, 6 lbs .69

**TOMATOES**  
 Heavy Pack, Basket .29

**JAM**  
 Jam—Blended, 4 lb tin .39  
 PEACH PURE—4 lb tin .52  
 BLACKBERRY PURE—4 lb tin .52  
 LOGANBERRY, Emory, 4 lb tin .49  
 BLACK CURRANT—4 lb tin .55

**SOUP—AYLMER**  
 Tomato or Vegetable—3 tins .25

**BACON—SIDE**  
 Half or Whole—1 lb .23  
 LARD—PURE—3 1/2 lbs .78  
 10 lbs .78

**SHORTENING**  
 2 lbs .25

**CHEESE—ALBERTA**  
 1 lb .19  
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